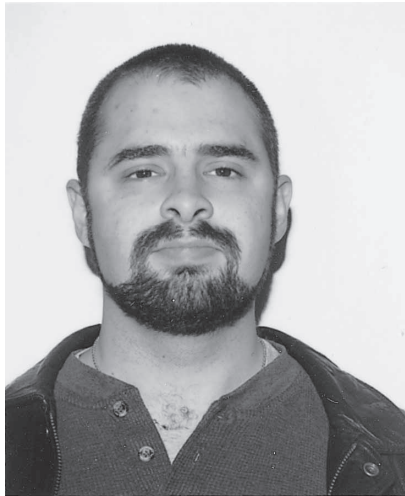


E. LUCY BRAUN AWARD



Antonio J. Golubski

E. Lucy Braun was an eminent plant ecologist and the first woman president of the Ecological Society of America. Besides describing and mapping the deciduous forest regions of eastern North America, Lucy Braun served as a dedicated teacher and role model to her students. To honor her, this award is presented to a student for the outstanding poster presentation at the Society's Annual Meeting.

The 2001 winner of the E. Lucy Braun Award is Antonio J. Golubski for his poster "Multiple partners: possible impacts on mycorrhizal community dynamics and diversity," based on his current doctoral research at the University of Illinois at Chicago under the supervision of John Lussenhop. Antonio's presentation was described by Braun judges

as "A modeling study addressing an important and timely issue of consequences of dual colonization by two mycorrhizal fungi for plant competition," and as "A very well done and sophisticated presentation. A theoretical extension of previous models that has broad relevance to many symbiotic interactions." Antonio received his bachelor's degree from the University of Miami, Florida.

Receiving an honorable mention is Matthew J. St. Pierre of the University of Iowa for his poster, "Dispersal patterns of *Chrysochus auratus* in a highly fragmented landscape."

Braun Awards Selection Committee: Paul Marino (Chair), Cindy Pasczkowski, Christopher Sacchi, Bill Tonn, Mark Twery, Alan Yeakley